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Every Thirty Days.—Lonesum—"Been married a month to-day, haven't you old fel? Still billing and cooing, I suppose?" Scruge (dubiously)—"I am not cooing as much as I was at one time, but the billing—ah me!"—N. York Herald.

If the whole money in circulation was doubled, prices would be doubled; if it was only increased one-fourth, prices would rise one-fourth.—J. S. Mill.

THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Editor and the Opinion of others which we Can Endorse on the Various Topics of the Day.

The next Congressional Convention, as announced last week, will be held in Clinton on Wednesday, July 23rd. There are nine counties in this Congressional District. Sampson had the Convention four years ago, and it is quite a victory for the county and a compliment to Clinton for us to secure it again this year. We hope that it will reflect the voice of the wishes and interests of the people, and the way to make it do it, is for the good people of the district to attend the primaries and send staunch, solid delegates (not lobbying and trading delegates) who know our needs and know who is the proper man to battle in the halls of Congress for the supplying of those needs—a man with incorruptable integrity, backed by undoubted large ability, information and energy. Through Congress is the farmers' only hope of relief. Their ability to protect themselves by successfully demanding just legislation, will in a great measure be determined by their action in the coming nominations and and elections.

Henry Hilton has indicted the World for libel against the late A. T. Stewart, and, from appearances, that journal is not "eating dirt." In a recent issue it says: "The thieves who stole A. T. Stewart's body were not half so contemptible as Hilton, the robber of Stewart's widow, who seeks to crowd into the empty coffin to hide his own infamy. We mean you, Henry Hilton." Strong language that, "he who lives by the sword must die by the sword." Retribution only. Though the World should not drag before the public Stewart's private life, since he is in his grave, only so far as is necessary to expose Hilton, if he is guilty of the alleged crime.

James Anthony Foude, a learned, able and powerful writer, in a letter to Mrs. Smedes, the author of "Memorials of a Southern Planter," says:

"I am afraid, from what I have myself seen in our own half ruined colonies, that the day is not far off that the enthusiastic emancipationists of your country and of ours will be found not to have been the truest friends of the race of whom they believed themselves the liberators. Freedom is a doubtful gift if it does not bring with it those qualities of mind and character which alone can make a wholesome use of freedom."

Deserted farms of New England are an argument in a nutshell against the beneficient Republican rule. These economic changings seem to point to a time when the North will be truly new, when full of the vigor of a convert she will join hands with the South in burying in a grave, from whence there is no resurrection, a party which has used her for its private personal ends, and then discarded her in her distress.—N. Y. Times.

It is said that Little Benny Harrison's wet-nurse, Senator Matthew Stanley Quay, handles the infant in such a way as to irritate him, and is not so fond of him as formerly.

There's blocks-of-five Dudley,
And Matthew Stanley Quay,
Will both go back on Benny,
"Because they are built that way."

Sam Jones' meeting in Charlotte was quite successful in the raising of money. Over ten thousand dollars—$2,200 went to Sam. His bread is well buttered. Most any man can afford to deal in the language he does for such reward. But few would be allowed to do so.

GUILTY,

WAS THE VERDICT OF THE JURY IN THE TRIAL OF AVERY BUTLER ACCUSED OF MURDERING HIS FATHER

SENTENCED TO HANG JULY 11TH.

The Little Murderer Hears His Doom Like a Hardened Criminal.

WILL THE GOVERNOR COMMUTE IT?

In the case of Avery Butler, the law with its measure of justice is following speedily on the heels of crime. The murder was committed April 12th, on April 19th the son was arrested charged with the crime, on April 29th he is put on trial for his life, on May 1st the jury return a verdict of guilty, and on May the 2nd he is condemned to hang for the terrible crime. There is a diversity of public opinion as to whether the boy should hang; some think that the safety of the public and the vindication of the law demand that he hang, others that the Governor should commute the sentence to life imprisonment, but there is no diversity of opinion as to the boy's guilt, the evidence, though circumstantial, is yet conclusive. We intended to give the evidence in full, for we expected new developments during the trial, but nothing material was brought out beyond what was known before the trial. The evidence was substantially as follows:

The deceased, soon after the shooting, said to Dr. Stevens that it was a small white boy with a cap on, about the size of his son Avery. It was upon the suggestion of Dr. S., referring to a difficulty with John Simmons in which a woman was concerned, that the deceased thought that Simmons was his murderer.

Avery Butler went to Mr. Beaman's, where his brother was working, on Wednesday before the shooting and got his brother's gun. He cut the slug of iron, that was found in the deceased, from a rod of iron at Williamson's blacksmith shop on Thursday and asked how much powder it would take to throw it through a man. On Friday, the day before the shooting, he told Mrs. Williamson, to whom he was hired to work, that his father had always treated him bad and had often severely whipped him, especially when he had helped his sister to elope and he intended to whip his father some day and get even with him, and that if he ever whipped him again that he would kill him. Avery was seen with a gun near the place of the shooting a half hour before it occurred. Soon after it occurred he came up to Mr. Williamson's house from towards the lot, barefooted, while he had on shoes in the morning. He told Mrs. Williamson that he heard hollowing down at his father's, that he would go down and see what was the matter, and if he called her to come. He went and soon called her, after doing so he ran down the street for a doctor. He told some one a day or two before the shooting that he had dreamed that his father was shot, on Sunday after he said that he dreamed the night before that his father was shot with a piece of iron. On the same morning he was seen cleaning mud from his shoes. The gun that he borrowed from his brother was found in the branch not far from the shooting a few days after his father was buried. After he was arrested he confessed that he killed his father, but this confession was ruled out by Judge Graves and was not allowed before the court as evidence.

The jury that convicted the boy was as fair a one as could have been gotten any where, and the able counsels, Messrs. D. B. Nicholson and W. R. Allen for the defendant, did all for him that possibly could have been done. The examination of witnesses was skillfully done and their speeches were fine. The jury recommended Executive clemency.

The Compound Lard Bill.

ITS INCONSISTENCY AND SECTIONAL OBJECT.

It Would Ruin One of the South's Great Industries to the Profit of the Northern and Western Pork Packer.

A QUESTION OF VITAL IMPORTANCE NOT ONLY TO SOUTHERN FINANCE AND PROSPERITY, BUT TO HOUSEKEEPERS AND THE NATION'S STOMACH.

IT WILL ROB THE SOUTH OF $15,000,000 ANNUALLY.

Every week, we might say every day for the last quarter of a century, somebody has been haunting the lobby of Congress and clamoring before the various committees asking for special legislation for some private enterprise. In short they have had the cheek and audacity to ask Congress to pass a law or laws to damage and rob one industry or class of people, for no other reason than that they would profit by the proceeding. We could mention hundreds of such infamous bills that have become and are still laws and in no small degree are they responsible for the depressed condition of Agriculture to-day, for a large majority of such measures have been directed against the farmer and have bled him without mercy. For a long time the patient, patriotic and hard laboring farmer has borne these impositions and robberies, not knowing what was the matter, and believing that the government was doing its duty and protecting his interests. But at last he has awakened to the sad reality and is shocked and righteously indignant that his government has been a party to, has winked at and legalized (?) these robberies. He is watching the doings of Congress with an eagle's eye and the wrong doers will soon hear of his wrath through the ballot box. One of the most infamous bills of this kind recently attempted by Congress, is the Compound Lard Bill. We have been requested to publish this bill, but instead (on account of its length) we give below the gist of the minority report of the committee on Agriculture, by Hon. C. W. McClammy, of our own district and Hon. J. B. Morgan, of Mississippi, which fully explains the infamous nature of this bill and shows how it is designed to further rob the Southern farmer. Read it and see a fair sample of the hellish schemes of the monopolist, which he has been, and is trying to carry into execution through the Radical members of Congress:

The bill reported by the majority of the committee is, as described and classified according to its features:

I (1) A bill to increase the revenues of the Government by an additional revenue tax.

(2) A bill defining "lard," and by the imposition of an internal-revenue tax, regulating the manufacture, sale, importation, and exportation of "compound lard," meaning thereby "any article manufactured or compounded in imitation or semblance of lard * * which shall be made of any other ingredient other than lard, or which shall be composed of any other ingredient or ingredients in combination with lard."

Digesting the main features of the bill as affecting the manufacturer, wholesale dealer and retail dealer, it provides:

(1) The manufacturer of compound lard must procure a license, which shall be at the rate of $100 per annum, but he shall be entitled to such license only "if none of the ingredients to be used in the manufacture are deleterious to health," (section 3, lines 5, 9, 19, 20, 23,) a question for the decision of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue. He shall also give a bond. (Section 6, lines 10-16.)

(2) Each wholesale dealer, except he be also a manufacturer, shall pay a special tax of $25 per annum (section 4, lines 4-7,) and shall sell in quantities not less than 50 pounds, and only in original stamped packages (section 7, lines 12-14.) The bill is so peculiarly worded that a wholesale dealer cannot even sell an original stamped package of less than 50 pounds, although it is a well-known fact that the trade is almost entirely supplied by original packages ranging from 50 pounds down.

(3) Every retailer of compound lard shall pay a special tax of $2 per annum. Any person selling in less quantities than 50 pounds at one time shall be regarded as a retail dealer. (Section 4, line 16.)

Retailers are required to repack all compound lard they sell, and put the same into other than original packages. This provision practically prohibits the manufacturer from making any package of less than 50 pounds; for as the retailer could not utilize the original package, being bound by the law to repack, he would not buy a barge qantity of 3, 5, and 10 pound pails of the manufacturer for the sake of wasting his time emptying the pails and throwing them away when empty. (Section 7, lines 14-20.)

In view of the fact that lard compound are now sold for domestic use almost entirely in small tin pails (orginial packages,) it must be apparent that the effect (and object) of this law is to forever destroy the sale of lard compound. The retailer would be compelled to buy and sell only the hog packer's lard, as he could procure that in 3, 5, and 10 pound pails (original packages,) and sell it without let or hindrance in the same pails (original packages.)

(4) Now, suppose that a dealer takes out both licenses, *i. e*, wholesale and retail; still it is unlawful for him to sell an original package, *i. e.*, one of the ordinary pails or tubs of lard weighing from 20 to 50 pounds, because the wholesaler's license does not permit him to sell a quantity less than 50 pounds under any circumstances and the retailer's license requires him to repack any sale of any quantity less than 50 pounds.

If the bill were really intended only to compel the honest branding of a counterfeit article, every facility would be provided so that a retailer could sell lard compound in the original package. When a manufacturer puts up a package and brands it in big letters according to the law it is in the interest of honest dealing that the package should go into the hands of the consumer with all the original marks and brands and stamps upon it. If a manufacturer puts up a 3 pound tin, or a 20 pound pail, or a 40 pound tub, all covered and plastered over with internal revenue stamps and brands, and the consumer is allowed to buy the goods in such packages, he cannot possibly be deceived about his purchase. Look, then, at the inconsistency, requiring a retailer to break open such a package and dip the lard out with a laden, or a knife, or perhaps a stick, and take it out of this stamped package and put it into some other package in a clumsy way as best he can. These restrictions will destroy the cotton-seed oil business absolutely if the bill is passed in its present form.

(5) The manufacturer shall pack all compound lard in vessels not before used for the purpose, each containing not less than 3 pounds. (Section 7, lines 1-4.) He shall mark each separate vessel or package with the word "Compound Lard" in letters not less than three-fourths of an inch in length, together with his name. (Section 7, lines 51--2.) No compound lard shall be sold at retail or otherwise except in packages marked and branded as provided in the bill. (Section 7, lines 15--24.)

(6) Upon all compound lard there shall be assessed and collected a tax of 2 mills per pound, to be paid by the manufacturer thereof (Section 9, lines 3--4;) except that compound lard may be exported to a foreign country without payment of tax under such regulation, and the filing of such bond and other security as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, may prescribe. (Section 17, lines 1--6.) Compound lard imported from foreign countries shall be taxed with an internal revenue tax of 2 cents per pound in addition to any import duty imposed on the same. (Section 11, lines 1--4.) The 2 mill tax shall be represented by coupon stamps, and the existing laws relating to stamps tax on tobacco and snuff are made applicable, as far as may be. Section 9, lines 8--11.

The severity and variety of the penalties of the bill are unusual, and in every respect out of all proportion to any offense that may be committed. They range from $50 to $5,000 in amount, and imprisonment for not over two years. In some instances both imprisonment and fine are mandatory upon the court. We can recall no precedent

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WOMAN'S SPHERE.

THE INFLUENCE OF DRESS.

Who Can Estimate It?—Some Historical Instances.

Dost thou think I have a doublet and hose in my disposition?" asked the merry Rosalind when she was "caparisoned like a man" in the Forest of Arden. She vowed to Celia that her "swashing and martial outside" had no effect on her her feminine curiosity nor her womanish trait of speaking her thought.

True, the way one is dressed does not alter one's nature, says Kate Kauffman in the Jenness Miller Magazine, but it may utterly transform one's manner. As Rosalind's costume enabled her to act the pert boy, so her dress may cause any woman to appear gay, gracious, graceful, sad, self-assertive or awkward.

The primary influence of dress is upon the wearer. Who does not know the elation of spirit, the sweet charity which fill a woman's heart when she feels that she is well dressed? When dejected, an infallible cure may be found in a becoming costume and promenade. If an expected letter fails to come, if a nice laid plan goes awry, if digestion be deranged, put on your best clothes and take a walk. The fresh air and the admiring eyes of the by-passers will restore your serenity.

Sidney Smith says that it is folly to try to teach a girl that it makes no differece how she is dressed. Her whole destiny may depend on the color of her bonnet, a fact which, if she is keen, she will very soon discover.

Not the least tragic part of the tragic life of the Bronte sisters is that they never had pretty clothes. Think of it! Poor little girls! Their aunt dressed them in nine-year-old fashions from Penzance! Charlotte, with her passionate, artistic temperament, alive to every grace and beauty! When at school in Brussels she tried to change her homely growns according to French fashion. Poor Charlotte, with a heart of fire and the exterior of a "plain, provincial, sickly-looking old maid."

How much more agreeable to read of Hannah More wearing at eighty a "pea-green silk," which, although it contrasted with her face, was "in harmony with the youth of her step and her clear girlish voice."

One's exterior has a wonderful effect upon the inner life. Who has not heard that "a woman is as old as she looks?" The consciousness of a beautiful appearance endues a woman with self-confidence, and with audacity when it is needed; to this may attributed the secondary influence of dress—its effect on the beholder.

When Queen Esther wished to win for her people the favor of her husband, the King, she "put on her royal apparel" and made so pleasing an impression that he promised what she might ask, even unto the half of his kingdom.

Dellius was Antony's messenger sent to bring Cleopatra. When he saw her beauty and address he felt sure that she need fear no displeasure from his Roman master; however, he advised her to go "in her best raiment."

Rachel Felix, the French tragedienne (who was capable of very sprightly comedy off the stage,) once found it expedient to cajole and "talk over" some offended critics. She thus sportively discloses her plan in a letter to a friend: "I will put on my little pink bonnet. I tell you they are done for! I have tried it as Cleopatra tried poisons on her slaves. The effect is certain. When I put it on last week with a black flounced dress, young X——was quite stupefied, and has remained so ever since."

The wisdom of dress, as of everything else, is included in Solomon's experience. He has left us this precept: "Let thy garments always be white, and let thy head lack no ointment."

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It is a long time to be married thirty-nine years. It is a blessed gift from God to have a faithful, loving, wife to rejoice with you when the heart is happy and the skies are bright and the flowers bloom and the birds sing their little songs of happiness, and is sorrow and weep with you when God's hand rests heavily upon you, and the heart aches, and the clouds gather and the silver cord is loosed and the golden bowl is broken.—Dr. Kingsbury in Wilmington Messenger.

Alliance Department.

ALLIANCE NOTES, DISCUSSIONS AND THE DOINGS OF THE VARIOUS LODGES.

County Lecturer's Notice.

I have a half a dozen or more invitations now on file to visit lodges and deliver public lectures but my time is so engaged and my business is such that I will be unable to answer any of these calls till the 1st of June. During that month I hope to be able to give one or two days in each week to the work. I would suggest that where several lodges are near each other that they combine in a joint invitation and have the lecturer at some central point, as it will be impossible for me to visit all the lodges. Very respectfully,
MARION BUTLER,
County Lecturer for Sampson.

Sub-Treasury Bill Before Congress.

The Senate Committee of the U. S. Congress on Agriculture and Forestry had under consideration last week Vance's bill to provide for a system of warehouses for farm produce through the country to be operated by the government, which is to issue notes upon deposits of grain therein.

Col. Polk, president of the National Farmers' Alliance, read a long argument in favor of the measure, which, he said, was formulated by a committee appointed for that purpose by the convention of the National Farmers' Alliance and the Industrial Alliance held in St. Louis, Dec. 3, 1889. He sketched the decline in agricultural values in the face of the marvellous progress and development of other industries and interests during the past two decades and insisted that something should be done for the farmer. He charged the fault upon the financial system of the government, which resulted in high-priced money and low-priced products. The remedy, Col. Polk suggested, was threefold:

1. Restore silver to its dignity and place as a money metal, with all the rights of coinage and all the qualities of legal tender which gold possesses.

2. Issue sufficient amounts of currency direct to the people at a low rate of interest to meet the legitimate demands of the business of the country, and which shall be legal tender for all debts, public and private.

3. Secure to such issue equal dignity with the money metals by basing it on real, tangible, substantial values.

Colonel Polk was followed by Dr. C. W. Macune, chairman of the national Committee on legislation of the Alliance, who addressed himself more particularly to the merits and details of the system of warehouses as outlined in the bill. He asserted that the merchandise thus stored would not deteriorate below the market standard and that the system had proved feasible in California, where the Grangers' Bank in 1889 loaned $3,000,000 on certificates issued to the farmers on wheat deposited in warehouses owned and controlled by them.

A Rowan county farmer making a speech to his Alliance said: Let us, my Alliance brethren, raise the standard of intelligence and bring into our farm work more intelligence and skill and infuse into every blow we strike more physical energy and soul vigor. To accomplish this great end we should take a home paper, write for it, and communicate to each other our home experience and do away with on old slip-shod methods.

Adopt this suggestion, and send to THE CAUCASIAN for publication any discovery or successful experiment you have made so that you brother farmers may profit thereby. Then some one else will show his appreciation by giving you the benefit of his experience.

The Farmers' Alliance of this county had a large meeting in the Courthouse yesterday, which occupied nearly all day. The Alliance is remarkably strong in Wake, there being thirty sub-Alliances, with some 1,500 members, who are very active.—Raleigh Cor. Wil. Messenger.

The Georgia farmers' Alliance is striking with both fists against the dangerous lard bill in the House aimed to destroy the cotton seed oil interest. Let the combat deepen.—Wil. Messenger.

Children's Corner.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO OUR YOUNG READERS.

WHAT VICTOR WROTE.

I'm going to write a Valentine,
I'm sure I don't know why,
But all the boys are doing it,
So I guess I'll try;
They tell a girl they think her cheeks
Are like the roses red;
"Your eyes are like the violets,"
That's what one fellow said.

But then, who shall I send mine to?
There is lots of girls I know,
But not a solitary one
I'd want to write to so;
Ah, now I've thought of somebody,
And not a valentine
Will go to one who is half as nice
As she who will get mine.

(Victor writes steadily for some moments, then reads aloud):

"Your hair is as brown as a chestnut,
Your eyes are the sky's own blue,
I'll bet, in the world, there no one
Who's half as pretty as you.

"And though, dear, I don't always show it,
I love you with all my heart;
I think it would just about kill me,
If you and I had to part.

"Perhaps when I grow up to manhood,
I'll have to wander afar,
But I'll never forget my first sweatheart,
My pretty, bright, jolly mamma."
—Youths' Companion.

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AT SCHOOL.

Teacher—Somebody has been throwing paper behind my back. Mewes, can you tell me who it was?

Mewes (who was the culprit himself)—I know who it was, but I hardly like to tell.

Teacher—A trifle too scrupulous, perhaps, but it shows honorable feeling on your part. You may sit dawn.

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PUZZLES.

BEHEADINGS.

1. Behead "beyond the bounds of a country" and have "wide;" again, and have "an open way or public passage."

2. Behead "a small shoot or branch," and have "to petition;" again, and have "a line of light;" again, and have "yea," "yes."

3. Behead "worthless matter," and have "precipitate;" again, and have the name of a genus of trees common in our latitude. There is a mountain species.

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A RIDDLE.

A cavern dark and long,
Whence issue wail and song;
A red bridge moist and strong,
Where white robed millers throng.

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WHO AM I?

I am seen in the west and
felt in the east;
You ll find me wherever there's
pleasure or feast;
In the evening I'm present and
ready for tea;
With dinner or breakfast I always make free.
I am constant at chess, piquet,
or ecarte,
Tho' you never will meet me at
ball or at party.
A gentleman cannot be seen
without me;
Not in THE CAUCASIAN but in the
TELEGRAM I be
A schoolboy will catch me at
cricket or race.
Not in Clinton, but in Mount
Olive I have place.
Now, surely by this my name
you can tell,
Unless that, like truth, I am
hid in a well.

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A FRIENDLY HINT.

How doth the little busy bee,
Improve each shining minute!
And sometimes, too, he has his
fun,
But, friend, don't you begin it.

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ANSWERS TO PUZZLES.

An Enigma—Blank Book.
Cross Work—Water.

NOT HIS FAULT.

"Brethren and sisters," and the patient old pastor buttoned his threadbare coat closer about his spare form, "I notice that some members of the congregation are shivering from the cold. I should have replaced the broken pane of glass in this window behind me weeks ago with rags if they could have been spared from the family wardrobe. The collection for foreign missions will now be taken up."

Fat Tom, the usurper has been speechmaking at Pittsburg, Pa. His "greatest effort" was a bilious tirade against the Democratic party and the South. He is a great overgrown epitome of malignity and slander. He ought to be "bottled up."—Wil. Messenger.

The man who warns the radical reformer against "going off" half-cocked is usually a flintlock blunderbuss that doesn't "go off" at all until too late.

He—"What a handsome horse Popley drives." She—"Yes; I don't see how he has managed to remain single so long."

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CLINTON, N. C.—MAY 8, 1890.

HOAR'S BILL.

This iniquitous measure has every feature of dishonesty, is partizan and hostile to our institutions, and in harmony with the will as expressed by Czar Reed in his speech at Pittsburg. Let them continue.

SENATOR BECK DEAD.

Senator James B. Beck of Kentuckey dropped dead last Saturday of paralysis of the heart. He was born in Scotland in 1822 He was electen to the Fortieth Congress from Kentucky and has served continuously in the House and the Senate since then. He was an able and vigorous representative; a ready and forcible debater, and in his death the Democratic party has suffered great and almost irreparable loss.

The committee on agriculture of the United States House of Representatives has reported favorably the Compound Lard Bill, which is nothing more than a bill taxing cotton seed oil out of the market. This infamous piece of legislation is before congress at the request of a syndicate that hopes thereby to get a monopoly on their northern lard. There are 15 members of the committee and Mr. McClammy and Mr. Morgan have fought the outragous injustice from the begining, but a majority of the committee was with the syndicate. We give in another column Mr. McClammy's protest before Congress against the bill, and hope there are enough honest men in the body to stand by him and defeat the measure.

The Democrates have carried nearly every important election since Harrison became President, while the Republicans have succeeded only in defeating the will of the people by stealing two seats in the United States Senate and several seats in the Lower House of Congress. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Robert E. Lee bronze memorial statue, brought from France by the steamer Othello, was forwarded yesterday to Richmond. It will be unveiled May 30. It cost about $17,000. The Confederate Veteran Camp of New York will attend the unveiling ceremony.—New York Star.

The whole country is suffering with agricultural depression and who is so fit and propor to determine the wrong and decide a remedy as the farmer himself?

HON. C. B. AYCOCK.

If the farming interest of the Third Congressional District desire to be represented in Congress by a man who is in thorough sympathy with them and who will be of practical benefit to their interest in the halls of Congress, they will nominate and elect Charles B. Aycock. If the test is fidelity to trust, unswerving integrity, unusual ability which is always devoted to the cause of the people, they will nominate him. If the test is the individual preference of the people of the district he will be the nominee. —Wilson Advance.

SAM JONES.

That man of God, the Rev. Samuel P. Jones, is in Charlotte at this time, justifying the ways of God to men. Up to last evening he had called the people of that devoted city hounds, lousy calves, dirty dogs, fools and contemptible puppies, and had said of the best people of the city (who are as good people as dwell on earth) that they would not be allowed to sweep out the kitchens of the bon-ton of Baltimore. If he talked that way on the street instead of in a "tabernacle" he would get both eyes blacked and be sent to the rock-pile.—Statesville Landmark.

Presently the census-taker will be around, book and pencil in hand, and conversations like following will be in order:

Census-taker. Have you any children?

Woman: Yes: a son.

Census-taker: Male or female?

Woman: Male.

Census-taker: Age?

Woman: Two years and a half.

Census-taker: Married or single?

Woman: Single.

Census-taker: closing book: That's all right. Thanks.—Texas Siftings.

NEWS FROM STATE CAPITAL.

There is an increasing amount of talk regarding the political situation. It is learned that Spier Whitaker will be a candidate for the nomination of Judge in this district and that W. R. Allen, of Goldsboro, will be his opponent for that honor. E. C. Smith, of Raleigh, E. W. Pou, of Johnston, and D. H. McLean, of Harnett, will be the candidates for nomination for Solicitor.

The Board of Trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical College spent yesterday afternoon there. They elected a man named Emry of New York, Assistant Agriculturalist, and they confirmed all the work done by the executive committee in the matter of the new mechanical building. The contractors promise to do rapid work on this.

John T. Patrick, the Southern Immigration Commissioner, returned here yesterdad from a trip to New England, during which he did excellent work He aroused interest in the plan for a permanent exposition of Southern products in some large city. The Boston people desire that place selected for this purpose and held a large meeting in Faneuil Hall to consider the matter. Mr. Patrick feels very much encouraged. While away he met parties who contracted to build a sixty room hotel at Pine Bluff, Moore county, in handsome style. That place is some three miles from Southern Pines. The parties who will build the hotel will do so with their own money.

The commencement of the Agricultural and Mechanilal College will be held June 18th, or one week earlier than was at first stated.—Raleigh Cor. Wil. Messenger.

IT IS THE OTHER.

The Mt. Olive Telegram, has donned a new dress and comes out under new management. D. J. Aaron is editor, H. W. McKinne is associate editor and Marion Butler of THE CAUCASIAN is business manager. The Telegram's face, size, complexion, and voice is so much like THE Clinton CAUCASIAN, that when you are looking at one you think it is the other. Our best wishes, gentlemen. —Harnett Courier.

Warsaw Items.

(Special Correspondence.)

Strawberries are doing better than the majority of our truckers thought they would. Some are bringing as high as 30 cents per quart to-day.

Mr. T. M. Moore has gone South and will stop at Americus, Ga.

Mr. J. Whitman has opened a general blacksmith shop at the old stand of Mr. J. M. Blanchard.

Mr. Allen, the popular, well known tobacco wagoner, spent Sunday in our village.

Mr. S. A. Strickland has closed out his business in Kenansville and accepted a position with Mr. H. Bowden.

Many acres of tube roses are being planted this season.

Corn is looking exceedingly well and cotton is coming up as well as could be expected.

As it was impossible to hold an election on local option the wets and drys had a fight in the town election in which the wets were successful in electing their wet men, which settles the liquor question Mr. L. R Carroll was re-elected mayor.

SPPITZ.

Mrs. O. P. Meeks, with her little daughters, Mamie and Gracie, left this morning on train No. 14 to visit relatives and friends in New York. We understand they will be gone about two months.

The entertainment to be given by the young ladies and gents of Warsaw, for the benefit of the Methodist Church, is to be at Woodward's Hall Friday the 9th inst. We hope they will be liberally patronized.

The railroad authorities are having the waiting-rooms repaired and a new office in the warehouse. We understand that as soon as the work is completed the ticket office, railroad office and express will be kept in the depot proper. FRANK.

Duplin Items.

[Special Correspondent.]

We would like to say to the voters of the 6th Judicial District that they will find out that their exists no disatisfaction to our worthy incumbent, O. H. Allen, Esq., in town, township or county, as will be made manifest when we get a chance again at the ballot box. He has quite enough "brilliancy" for us, and we are not afraid to risk the "affairs of State" in his keeping, so be not deceived or led astray by any publication that might be construed into the belief that we are no entirely and unequivocally satisfied with him. This is for voters outside of Warsaw, and the Messenger's correspondent of last week from that place. We are first, last and all the time for Duplin's able son, O. H. Allen, for Solicitor. CORRESPONDENT.

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GOOD PREACHING.

"AND HE WAS SPEECHLESS."

Rev. C. L. Arnold, Rector of St. Paul's church, Wilmington, N. C., is holding a series of services at St Paul's church, Clinton, this week. We have had the pleasure of hearing him twice. Tuesday night his text was from the 22d chap of St. Matthew, which contains the parable in which Christ likened the Kingdom of Heaven unto a marriage given by a king for his son. He sent his servants out on the highways to invite in the guests, both good and bad, and as many as they found. That there might be no distinction between rich and poor he had prepared wedding garments all alike for the guests to put on after reaching the mansion; but one of the guests refused to don the apparel prepared for him and appeared at the feast in his ordinary costume. The king discovering this inquired the cause, but the offender was speechless. Yes, "He was speechless," and this was the Divine's text. But why should the king have him bound and cast into outer darkness for this small offence? It was not because the mere fact of the garment would have made him more worthy to have gone into the king's presence and sit at the marriage feast, but it was on account of the state of the man's heart, his evident intention to insult the king by disregarding his request. So it is with the forms and formalities required by the Church of God. They may seem to us unimportant and comparatively so they are, but if it is with a rebellious heart and a setting up of our poor weak judgments against the Divine will then our hearts shall be judged to be wrong and we shall be cast into outer darkness. So if we keep the law not only in form, but our hearts are also right, then at the great final marriage feast of the Redeemed we shall appear as invited and accepted guests, robed in the wedding garment of Christ's righteousness and made acceptable to God through Him.

FAITH.

On Wednesday morning the Rev. Mr. Arnold took his text from the 11th chap. of Hebrews. Subject: Faith. He said that Faith was the second of the six doctrines of Christ, and the only one in all the writings of the Old and New Testament that was defined, which is as follows:

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen."

If we were asked for a definition of Faith we probably would not give this one, but refer to the conduct of Abraham, when about to sacrafice his dearly beloved son because God so ordered. For a definition of Patience we would refer to Job, for Meekness and Self-sacrificing to Moses and Repentance to David. All these things we clearly understand and feel though might not be able to express their meaning, these definitions in words, for the Bible has so taught us by parables and illustrations. Grace is a gift of God and can be attained only through prayer, but Faith is not a gift It is an attribute of the spirit, a quality of the heart to be fostered and developed through our own action, in a certain sense to be acquired just as we acquire knowledge, and prayer cannot assist us to attain it only by its reflex action on our own action. Then followed a clear, fine and forcible sermon, and discussion of the subject, rich with illustrations, timely and appropriately applicable to our every-day lives. His peroration, showing how, when we could see the finger of the Omnipotent alike in our success and reverses, ever guiding our course for our eternal good through all the dark winding ways and vexing and turbulent trials of life, how that then we had faith and that He who could and would do us no harm or wrong would illume our pathway with a ray of divine light however much the gloom that gathered around—a light that would surely guide us to eternal life and joy.

We hope our people will hear, enjoy and be profited by this fine series of sermons.

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LOOK UP.

Rev. Mr. Hammond once visited the Labyrinth of Henry VIII in England. While walking through it he got lost. He found so many winding and crossing paths, he despaired of getting out of it. At last he looked up and saw a man standing in a tower which overlooked the whole labyrinth. This man said: "I have been wainting for you to look up to me. Turn this way, now that, then here." And soon the lost man found his way out So Jesus is in the tower overlooking the entire world. He sees the past, the present, and future; where every path leads, where we should turn to the right or to the left. He sees the best way to increase our christian graces, the best way to make us useful to others. And so we should lay aside self guidance while threading our way through the labyrinth of the world and look with the eye of faith to Jesus to guide us in the right way. Ask wisdom of Him who giveth liberally unto all and upbraideth not.

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The 12th quadrennial session of the M. E. Conference South met at St. Louis yesterday. This is the general legislative body of the Methodist denomination, a successor to the late Bishop McTyeire will be elected.

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The Southern Baptist Convention met at Fort Worth Texas yesterday. It is the most important meeting of the denomination for the year and many delegates are in attendance from this State.

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W. H. Gilbert, Druggist, Albany, Ga., writes: "We are selling large quantities of Swift's Specific for a spring alterative and general health tonic; and with the best results. It is now largely used as a preventative and cure for Malaria. There are many remarkable evidences of its merit in this section."

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First tract of fifty acres, on west side of public road, adjoining lands of W. H. Boyette and others.

Second tract of fifty-three acres, more or less, being the rest of the land described in the petition, adjoining lands of S. R. Daughtry, W. A. Boyette and others.

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HENRY E. FAISON, Com'r. Clinton, N. C., April 17, 1890.—4t

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HERRING & PETERSON.
Ingold, N. C., April 29th, 1890.

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Wool Carding—J. M. Emmitt.
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MARKETS.

CLINTON.
(Reported by A. F. JOHNSON & Co)

Corn, (new)	60
Peas,	80
Bacon, 8 to	12½
Chickens, 15 to	25
Eggs,	10
Beeswax 18 to	20
Butter, 20 to	25
Lard, 10 to	12½
Fodder,	75
Flour, 5 00 to 5	50
Hides, 03 to	04
Turpentine, (hard)	1 25
" (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 40
Cotton,	11

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Crude Turpentine, (Hard) $1 25	
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my8—tf Proprietress.

Wool Carding!
As I have taken great pains in putting my Wool Cards in first-class order I am now ready to make the very best Rolls. All Wool left with Mr. C. P. Johnson, at old postoffice, Clinton, N. C., will be receipted for, forwarded to me, when it will be carded and returned. I will also pay the highest cash price for wool.
J. N. EMMITT,
Fayetteville, N. C.
May 8th, 1890.—1m

Thin and impure blood is made rich and healthful by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, all blood disorders.

LOCALS:

—Cotton worth 11 cents.

—We are sorry that our township news was forced out last week for want of space.

—The Avery Butler trial has cost the county about $350. It would not take many such offences to bankrupt our treasury.

—The Wilson Mirror says: Nash court this week. The able and upright and most excellent Judge Boykin is presiding.

—A corn tassel from Mrs. Morisey's garden was placed upon our table yesterday. She has one of the best gardens we have seen.

—Deputy Sheriff Lewis left Monday with three convicts, sentenced last week by Judge Graves, to the penitentiary for one year each.

—The meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows for North Carolina will convene in Wilmington next Tuesday. Clinton lodge will be represented.

—Clinton is certainly a growing town. The attention of every visitor is attracted by the improvements and developments that are to be seen on every hand.

—An Irish potatoe, as large as a goose egg, that was grown in the garden of Mrs. Morisey this year, was placed upon our table last week. Mr. R. J. Williams showed us one also equally as large.

—The Non-Friction Rein Ring is every day growing more popular. Mr. J. C. Hobbs has put the plow boy under obligations to him by the invention. See the new testimonials in advertisement.

—More than twenty persons came to our office last week and subscribed to THE CAUCASIAN without being solicited to do so. In no way possible could they have complimented us more, for actions speak louder than words.

—The brainy and talented C. B. Aycock won many friends while in town last week on professional business. His speech in the Hudson-Jordan fraud suit was especially fine and able, and was highly complimented on all sides.

—We have received a very pleasant letter from Mr. Holland, the former railroad agent at this place. He is now agent at Waynesville, Ga. He says that he enjoys and appreciates highly THE CAUCASIAN and hopes that we will not let him miss a single copy of it.

—The Wilmington Messenger, in refering to the appropriations made by Congress, at the request of Maj. McClammy, for N. E. River, Neuse River and Upper Cape Fear River, says that he is also trying to secure an appropriation for Black River and will probably succeed.

—When the combination whistle of the Lumber factory and the chime whistle of the Carolina Veneer Works, and the several other single whistles of the town all scream out at once, one would almost think that he was in the centre of a big manufacturing town, and that is what Clinton ought to; must and will be.

—The Rev. C. L. Arnold, the Rector of St. Paul's church, Wilmington, held his first service on Monday last, at 8 P. M. He will continue his services throughout the week twice a day, beginning in the morning at 10 o'clock, and in the evening at 8 o'clock. His sermons are earnest and instructive and it is hoped that these services will be well attended by our people.

—Dr. R. H. Holliday, the Coroner, was called to Mingo township on last Sunday to hold an inquest over the remains of Mr. J. M. Williford, a man well-known in this county. He was a bachelor and quite old and lived alone. He was found dead under his cooper shop at about 1 o'clock on Saturday. The Coroner, reports to us that he was satisfied without calling a jury that the deceased came to his death from natural causes.

—The election for town officers last Monday resulted as follows: For Mayor, R. H. Hubbard, who for a number of years (except the last) has held the position and was an efficient officer. For Commissioners, W. R. King, J. E. Royal, W. H. Stetson and Henry Hines. It is a good Board and we hope to see the town as clean and in as good condition or better a year hence as at present. The outgoing Board is to be complimented in this respect.

—The Commissioners were in session Monday. The hearing of the contention over the public road, leading from Weeks' Gin at Keener's, to a point on the Clinton and Faison road, was set for the first Monday in August. In the meantime the road was temporarily suspended. A public road was granted from Garland to Mr. Nehemiah Herring's. A petition was received from certain citizens of and around Giddensville, asking that licenses be not granted to any one to sell whiskey at the place; there being no application for license, the petition was not acted upon. There was an increase of prayers from paupers for temporary assistance. One old woman declared that if they did not help her that she would go into the store of the chairman of the Board and steal something to eat.

WHY WILL YOU COUGH when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief? Price 10 cents, 50 cents and $1. For sale by Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

All Through Sampson.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

☞ Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to this paper has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "hes" neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it. ☜

HONEYCUTTS.

Mr. Editor, Dear Sir, We did miss the township items in the last weeks issue bad. We little folks do enjoy reading them, so please let us have a long and pleasant report from all the townships this week.

This community greately regrets the loss of its respected and highly prized physician Dr. A. T. Cooper, who expects to move to Dismal township some time during this season.

Mr. A. H. Herring is building a fine and handsome two story dwelling at his father's old homestead.

LITTLE YEOMAN.

Mr. Erastus Cooper was married Wednesdey April 23rd to Mrs. A. J. Butler at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. H. J. Duncan. We predict for them a successful life's journey. Our best wishes attend them.

TURKEY.

Saturday and Sunday, April the 12th and 13th were galadays for the youth of South Turkey. We were favored by a visit from the village Rosebuds. The genteel and clever inhabitants of a quiet old country residence were the honored recipients of the visit. On Saturday evening being snugly located with their appreciating friends, they were called on by the young man who seared the boy one time, and the boy who drives the little white mule, while other country gents were present to enjoy the happy assembly, and to learn if possible some of the fine gilt-edge city manners. During the afternoon various extra capers were cut to the gratification and enjoyment of the country green horns present. When night set and dropped it's sable curtain over the face of the earth, the fun began in earnest. Numerous tricks were played, at the expense of the unsuspecting and unsophistocated country lads. Cold water traps were set and deluges of cold water showered upon the heads of the wondering backwoods boys causing their stiffly starched collars, cuffs &c to relax into a dish-rag limberness. The buggies and road carts of the callers were carried off into the woods and hidden. The party broke up at eleven or twelve o'clock Saturday night to retire and refresh themselves for next day. Sunday morning came and found all bright and blithesome. Some of the rose buds indulged in horse-back riding which the rest did other nice things until time to go to church, this being Bro. Stewarts regular appointment at good quiet old New Hope. Arrived at church and all well. In our feeble effort to give a discription of this much appreciated visit to our community, we shall for want of time and space, as well as language to express, omit many items of interest, and mention only a few; While the sermon was going on, one of the Rosebuds twisted and tied her hankerceif into the form of a fantastic rag dall baby, pinned it to a gentleman's hat that happened to be on hand, and displayed it to the astonished gaze of the congregation. Sermon over, there was a race for the favorite vehicle, which stood a short distance from the church. The village Rosebuds were joined in the race by one or two country ones, merely by way of being funny and fashionable. The vehicle being reached a friendly melee ensued, and from the contending mass of beauty issued splitting yells, much resembling the hideous squalling of forty city cats assembled in a midnight catawauling party. The many little funny antics cut between the church and stopping place were simply indiscribable. Later in the afternoon as the Rosebuds drove their team slowly towards their city home, we gazed after them in silent wonder, as to when would "the Roses come again."

MINGO.

Whooping cough in this neighborhood bad amoung the little ones.

Died, Monday, the infant daughter of W. B. Jackson, It is pleasant to know that of such is the kingdom of Heaven.

The school at Mingo, under the management of Mr. Bland, is doing well.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. C. Williford, April 30th, Mr. J. T. Naylor to Miss Malissie Williford, Josiah Baggett, J. P., officiating.

Success to THE CAUCASIAN.
I'm yours,
AMICUS.

The pulpit at Spring Branch church was filled on last Sunday by the Revs, Dr. Harrell and J. A. Carroll of Dunn.

Mr. John Starling, who has been for several years unable to travel without help, and has been confined to his bed for several weeks, died at his son's, Mr. S. I. Starling, on the morning of the 5th inst., in the 79th year of his age.

J. M. Williford, "Blue Dick" died at his residence suddenly of heart disease last Saturday.

MCDANIELS.

The prize of Ebenzer academy for the most improvement in writing has beenawarded to Miss Minnie Lawhon by Rev. T. M. Leary the principal. The prize was a hondsome copy of "Heroes of the Bible."

NEWTON GROVE.

The farmers of the township are getting along well with their work. They have plowed their corn and are ready to chop cotton.

The annual commencement at Glenwood Academy convenes the 16th inst. Hon. C. B. Aycock is the orator for the occasion. Let us all hear him.

April is gone and we have not seen any April fools. What has become of the little life our boys and girls once had. They did not prove to be "fools in fun." Us.

TAYLOR'S BRIDGE.

Mr. Thos. Watson is quite sick with a congestive chill.

We see that corn is selling in Clinton at 70c. It is selling at Way Cross for 60c.

LISBON.

Mr. Haywood Boykin, one of our oldest and most esteemed citizens died at his residence on last Sunday. He has been in very bad health for several years. His father's family consisted of 4 boys and 3 girls, of the latter each lived to be over 60 years of age; the other three sons, are living and aged respecting as follows: Dr. T. J. Boykin 62, R. F. Boykin 71, J. L. Boykin 77. The deceased was in his 69th year.

Mrs. Kedar Vann has just returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Cumberland and Chatham counties.

SOUTH CLINTON.

Mr. Alvin Hargrove, aged about 65 years, died the residence of his son, Mr. George Hargrove on last Friday and was interred in Clinton cemetery on Saturday.

NORTH CLINTON.

Mr. R. F. Herring has a patch (less than an acre) in Irish potatoes. He has already made several shipments to the northern markets and tells us that he is realizing $25.00 a week from this patch alone.

KIND WORDS

From The Caucasian's First Representative—The Paper and its Feeble Start, But Now one of the Best in the State.

N. C. INSANE ASYLUM,
Raleigh, N. C., May 1st, 1890.

Dear Mr. Editor—Enclosed you will find my check for $1.50 for the amount due or soon will be, for the dear old CAUCASIAN. I read your paper with a great deal of interest, perhaps more than any other subscriber. I recall to my mind the fact that I was the first man who ever solicited a subscriber in Sampson county. I wish that I had the list to send you, but I have lost it. However, I will name over a few of its first subscribers. I began my round at Stewart & Hines' corner. First was W. B. Stewart, C. P. Johnson, (old postmaster) Geo. W. Marsh, Dr. A. M. Lee & Bro., W. H. Moore, Judge E. T. Boykin, A. F. Johnson, Warren Johnson, W. K. Beaman, T. M. Ferrell & Bro., M. Hanstein, J. H. Royal & Bro., Capt. T. H. Partrick, Ashley Matthis, D. G. Giddens, and a few other though I can't recall. Strange to say very few paid for their subscription, and very few subscribed for longer than six months; one or two paid only for "a quarter's worth." I was at school in Clinton when the paper first started and paid my tuition with the commissions that I received on subscriptions. I next went to Taylor's Bridge, where the candidates for the various county offices were to speak and which was my old home. I expected a long list of name. I got two—Dr. G. W. Moseley and Henry James. I returned to Clinton and decided that "I was not the man for the place," and decided further that the people of Sampson county either did not want a county paper or they were afraid of it; i. e. it would not make a living. I soon found out that I would not make one. Still, I did not lose my interest in its success, nor have I yet.

I hope that your "Bill Arp" will continue his letters. They are very good indeed. I hope that your list of subscribers will soon be 2,000. I do think that you ought to have the largest circulation of most any paper in the State. I know that you have one of the best counties in the State and the good people ought to support their county paper.

I have one more name to add: "North Carolina Insane Asylum," Raleigh, N. C. Send your bill at once to the Institution.

I am glad that Sampson has not lost her "Blues." J. R. P.

A Good Lecture.

The lecture at the Baptist church in Warsaw Thursday night, May 15, and at the Clinton Baptist church Friday night, May 16th, before the Society of Christian Endeavor, by Rev. J. S. Dill, of Goldsboro, will be a treat to our town. He stands among the foremost preachers in the State as a popular orator. His subject, "Veneering of Mind and Morals," is a most taking lecture, full of wit, humor and good sense. It is most highly commended by all who have had the pleasure of listening to it. We bespeak for him a large audience among us. The low price of admission 25 and 15 cents place it within the reach of all. The funds are for the benefit of our music.
O. P. MEEKS.

The editors, printers, devils and their families, of the secular and religious papers of the city, (as the price of admission is not within their reach) are admitted free, or a least we hope so.

The Spring Medicine.

The popularity which Hood's Sarsaparilla has gained as a spring medicine is wonderful. It possesses just those elements of health-giving, blood-purifying and appetite-restoring which everybody seems to need at this season. Do not continue in a dull, tired, unsatisfactory condition when you may be so much benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood and makes the weak strong.

Mayor's Court.

The following cases have been disposed of before His Honor, Mayor Thomson:—

State vs E. W. Boykin, embezzlement, deft. discharged.

State vs Wm Mitchell, assault, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs J. C. Kirby, drunkenness, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Ashley Sutton, drunkness, judgment suspended upon payment of cost.

State vs Ashley Sutton, firing pistol on streets, fined $10 00 and cost.

State vs J. R. Register and W. H. Duncan, deft. Duncan, discharged, Register fined $10.00 and cost.

State vs Thos. Marshburn, disorderly conduct, fined the cost.

State vs Jule Williamson and William Farrior, affray fined 1.00 each and cost.

State vs M. C. Suggs, drunkness, fined the cost.

Sampson Light Infantry Drill—Entertainment by The Ladies.

The Sampsom soldiers boys were out on regular monthly drill on last Friday. Captain Johnson complemented the boys upon their interests and improvement. The ladies gave an evidence of their interest and appreciation for the company by giving an elegent supper at night at the Robinson Hotel for the benefit of the company. Our girls are as patriotic as they are noble and lovely. The life of this company in no small degree is due to the interest they have shown in its success. We are sorry to say that the citizens did not turn out as they should have done to the entertainment.

Death of Dr. Carr.

Dr. Thomas B. Carr died at the residence of Mr. B. F. Fennell on last Friday night of heart disease. He has been here for several months for the benefit of his health, and has also been assisting in establishing a Royal Arch Chapter of Masons. He was a fine old gentleman and one of the brightest Masons in the State. The Wilmington Messenger says of him:

Dr. Carr was born at Canandaigua, New York, and was aged 61 years. He removed to Wilmington about thirty-five years ago, and subsequently married the eldest daughter of Mr. Isaac Northrop. He practiced dentistry here for many years, and amassed considerable wealth. After the war he invested heavily in real estate and erected many substantial brick building, among which is the building now belonging to the Seamen's Friend Society. He subsequently met with reverses by reason of depreciation in the value of property, and of late years has been an invalid, having almost entirely lost his eye-sight. The remains were brought here last night accompanied by his son, Mr. W. H. Carr. The funeral will take place at 9:30 o'clock this morning at the First Presbyterian Church with Masonic honors.

Personals.

Mr. A. F. Johnson left last Thursday for New York, and returned Tuesday.

Messrs. J. E. and J. H. Royal were in Wilmington Tuesday on business.

Senator E. W. Kerr returned yesterday from a professional visit to Floreace, S. C.

Mr. I. T. Dortch, of the Goldsboro Bar, was in attendance on Sampson Court last week.

Misses Florence Faison and Willie Bumgardner, of Elliott, are spending the week at Capt. W. L. Faison's.

Senator Abner Robinson, of Duplin county, was in town last week. He was recently married to a Mrs. Garrison, of Pender county.

Mr. W. E. Stevens was in Raleigh last week attending the meeting of the Board of Agriculture and the meeting of the Trustees of the Agricultural and Medical College.

Messrs. Ed. Johnson, Charlie Williams, and Capt. J. H. Robinson, of this county, are on the Jury of the U. S. District court in session, in Wilmington this week.

Mr. H. C. Moore, Duplin's popular and efficient Register of Deeds, gave us a very pleasant call last week. He is plain, democratic and affable, and since we have had the pleasure of knowing him, we understand why Duplin has so long called upon him to serve her.

Mr. D. B. Nicholson, one of the delegates for North Carolina to the General Methodist Episcopal Church South, which met in St. Louis yesterday, left Saturday for that place. We outlined the work of this Conference, which is the 12th quadrennial session in our issue of April the 10th.

Judicial Convention.

The Executive Committee of the Sixth Judicial District will meet in Goldsboro to-morrow, Friday May 9th to name the time and place for holding the Judicial Convention. The committee are Senator E. W. Kerr, Sampson, Chairman; A. G. Ricaud, New Hanover, A. C. Huggins, Onslow; Dr. M. Moore, Duplin; J. W. Grainger, Lenoir; P. M. Pearsall, Jones; W. S. Chadwick, Carteret; and Edwin Fennell, Pender. Mr. Fennell is now dead and A. G. Ricaud, of New Hanover, being absent in Europe, and B. R. Moore is hereby appointed for New Hanover, and Bruce Williams for Pender.
E. W. KERR,
Chairman.

MOUNT OLIVE DEPARTMENT.

LOCAL ITEMS:

How about a fire engine?

Mrs. Martha Futrell returned Tuesday from a pleasant visit to friends at Rocky Point.

When will the W. & W. R. R. put us up a new warehouse, they seem to ignore us entirely.

Mr. John Southerland of Kenansville has taken a position as clerk in Mr. R. J. Southerland's store.

Mrs. Eliza Wright relict of the late Tommy Wright died at her residence near Faison on the 2d inst, aged 77 years.

Mr. J. R. Smith has bought the "Oliver store" from Mr. S. D. Hankins and has moved his stock of Drugs into it.

We want to increase the list of subscribers to THE TELEGRAM Want every friend to bring a new name to us. Help us.

Mr. S. D. Hankins has moved his stock of goods into the store which was recently occupied by Mr. M. D. D. Herring.

Master Davis Hankins having accepted a position with his uncle Mr. A. G Hankins of Wilmington, left Monday morning for his new post of duty.

The Pioneer Lumber Co., have 210 horse boiler capacity at their mill. They are complimented by every one who visits their plant upon its equipment.

Prof. Britton has beautified the grounds around the school very much. When he gets it painted it will add much to its appearance and value. So much for a live man.

Two outlaws arrived in town last Saturday night they are two little maidens who claim the same age and parentage, our townsman Mr. N. B. Outlaw is the proud grand-father.

From appearances the Summer stock of Martyrs who desire to sacrifice themselves upon the alter of their country, are as numerous as Colonels and Captains since the war. Let them come out.

The colored school entertainment at Winsboro Academy came off last Thursday and Friday nights. A good many white persons attended and express themselves as having been very nicely entertained it was a very creditable entertainment.

The municipl election Monday passed off very quietly indeed. F. A. Simmons, Esq., was re-elected Mayor, and Mess. R. J. Southerland, S. D. Hankins, J. M. Cox, H. T. Ham and J. D. Aaron were re-elected Commissioners, not a new man elected, our people take very little interest in the town elections, only 35 votes were cast out of a possible 58.

Our townsman Mr. N. L. Long was one of the lucky ones who did not lose his garden peas by the cold. He shipped 3 boxes on the 28th, and 7 on the 1st inst, for which he realized $3.50 per box, he shipped 15 boxes Monday and Tuesday together and expects to gather 20 more this week, all this from ¾ of an acre of land, on which one bushel of peas were planted.

Mrs. Cordenia Pearsall died at her home in Dudley Thursday night of last week of heart disease. Mr. Pearsall retired the over night and the last he saw of her alive she was sitting in a chair in the room, when he awoke next morning he found she was dead in bed she having died during the night. She was a sister of our townsman Dr. J. A. Faison.

We have to apologize to friends in what seems a neglect to publish the notice sent us for publication regarding "Among the Breakers" repeated here under the anspices of the Dramatic Club of this place The manuscript got misplaced and could not be found, we are very sorry, because of the notice of the assistance of Henry Blunt of The Mirror who added so much to the enjoyment and interest of the performance by his wit, pathos and humor. Mr. Blount is superior in any character he assumes, and our people are always glad to welcome him.

New York Market.

Reported by G. S. Palmer, Commission Merchant, Fruits and Produce, 166 Reade St., New York.

May 3rd, 1890.

We have had a very satisfactory week on Southern produce, and the market closes firm with few exceptions. Cabbage is selling at extreme prices; best marks of S. C. at $4.50; other grades $4; and N. C. $2.50 to $3.50. Peas in much larger supply, fancy S. C. $1.50 to $2; N. C. one-half barrels $3 to $4; thirds $2 to $2.50; Asparagus in more liberal supply selling at $3 to $4. Heavy supplies from N. C. of snap beans and a few arriving from Savannah and selling $3 to $3.50. Sweet potatoes from $2.50 to $3. Strawberries 10 to 18 cts and in much larger supply.

FOR LAME BACK, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

SAMPSON SUPERIOR COURT.

The Superior Court for Sampson, Judge Graves presiding, closed last Saturday night.

CRIMINAL DOCKET.

State vs. Alfred Moore Parker, larceny; judgment one year in penitentiary.

State vs. William White, larceny; judgment one year in penitentiary, where his father and mother have gone before him and are now serving terms.

State vs. Florence Moore, larceny; judgment suspended, with the understanding that the clerk would bind her out.

State vs. Lizzie Moore, forgery; judgment one year in the penitentiary.

State vs. Avery Butler, murder; judgment to be hanged on the 11th of July next.

CIVIL DOCKET.

C. J. Hudson vs. D. B. Jordan, action to set aside a fraudulent deed (moved from Wayne county); verdict and judgment (involving about $2,500) for plaintiff. Appeal by defendant to Supreme Court.

The above case and the trial of Avery Butler consumed so time that there were no other jury trials on the civil docket.

THE CLINTON CAUCASIAN.

"One of the Boldest, Ablest and Most Progressive Papers in the State."

An able and popular man, a college graduate, and one of the most prominent citizens of Wayne county, in remitting his subscription to THE CAUCASIAN says:

And right here I want to congratulate you for editing what is in my opinion one of the boldest, ablest and most progressive papers in the State. I like your fearless way of expressing your opinions.

Such high praise, and from one not the least given to flattery, is very gratifying and greatly appreciated, and we hope to be able to make each issue of the paper more worthy of such commendation.

"Every Spring,"
Says one of the best housewives in New England, "We feel the necessity of taking a good medicine to purify the blood, and we all take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It keeps the children free from humors, my husband says it gives him a good appetite, and for myself I am sure I could never do all my work if it was not for this splendid medicine. It makes me feel strong and cheerful, and I am never troubled with headache or that tired feeling, as I used to be."

Big Rattle Snakes.

MINEOLA, GA., April 25, 1890.

Mr. Editor—I am a reader of your valuable paper and I don't see how a Sampsonian can be without it.

Mr. W. H. Harris, who has charge of a new turpentine place, five miles from Mineola, for the Young Investment Co., reports to us that his employees killed a very large rattle snake, which they claim had twenty-six rattles and was fifteen feet long, which is nothing strange in the pine belt of Georgia.

Success to THE CAUCASIAN. I am a well-wisher. G. M.

A Model of Neatness, Etc.

A subscriber in Moore county, and a gentleman whose opinion we hold in high esteem, in a private letter under date of April 28, says: "THE CAUCASIAN is a model of neatness as well as one of the best edited weeklies in the State."

"How to Cure all Skin Diseases."
Simply apply "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, &c., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for SWAYNE'S Ointment.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure, we guarantee it. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY & Co., Warsaw, N. C.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy.

Dr J. H. McAden's Opinion.
I consider Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy the best blood purifier that is on the market to-day.
J. H. MCADEN.

Judge Shepherd's Opinion.
WASHINGTON, N. C., June 12, '86.
Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy has been used by a member of my family, and the result has been very beneficial. I believe it to be a good medicine. JAS. E. SHEPHERD.

Mrs. Brown, the one alluded to in Judge Shepherd's testimonial, says:
WASHINGTON, N. C., July 23, '86.
It is with pleasure I add my grateful testimony to the host of witnesses who has attested the virtues of Mrs. Joe Person's great Remedy. After years of debility and suffering it has proven to me the best of tonics and blood purifiers. An obstinate, irritable ulcer on my ankle, from which I suffered agony for years, seems to have healed entirely and healthfully under its purifying effects, and my general health has greatly improved.
MRS. S. T. BROWN.

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DR. SWAYNE & SON,
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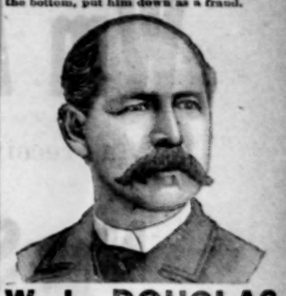
NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

If any dealer says he has the W. L. Douglas Shoes without name and price stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.



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Best in the world. Examine his
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$3.50 POLICE AND FARMERS' SHOE.
$2.50 EXTRA VALUE CALF SHOE.
$2.25 WORKINGMAN'S SHOE.
$2.00 and $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.
All made in Congress, Button and Lace.

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THE COMPOUND LARD BILL.

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for such extreme punishment in similar cases.

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III. It is plain that legislation of the character embodied in the proposed bill, with its manifest discrimination against and stringent regulation of a particular food product, can be justified only on one or both of the following grounds:

1. That the product in question is injurious to the health or the morals of the public; or.

2. That the products are being sold by the manufacturers thereof under misleading and deceptive brands, so that the public is deceived as to their real nature and character.

a. The product which is attacked by the supporters of this bill is an article called and labeled as "lard compound," or "refined lard compound," and upon which the proposed measure imposes, under heavy penalties, the arbitrary and transposed designation "compound lard."

This compound is composed of three substances—all agricultural products—lard, beef fat, and cotton seed oil. In the process of manufacture the best obtainable grades of commercial lard are purchased and, before mixing with the other ingredients, are thoroughly cleansed refined. The manufacturers of this product are in sharp competition with the manufacturers of so-called pure lard, both substances being sold as a kitchen fat or cooking fat. The record before the committee contains no proof whatever that this product is in any respect either as a compound or as to its several ingredients, deleterious or injurious in the health of the public. On the contrary, there is affirmative testimony of the most reliable character, that lard compound and its ingredients are perfectly healthful and nutritious.

It appears that during the last session of the legislature of the State of New York, a bill was introduced somewhat similar to the one under consideration. The subject was referred to the committee on public health, which sought the advice of the State board of health with regard to the healthfulness of the product. A copy of the report of that board has been submitted to this committee, and is hereto annexed as Appendix A. Upon the receipt of this report by the committee on public health of the State of New York, the committee reported adversely upon the bill; and it did not become a law

This same subject was considered and rejected by the legislature of the State of New Hampshire, at its last session; the State board of health unanimously approved of the product in question as being a healthful and desirable edible fat, and other members of the medical profession of that State indorsed the product most heartily. See affidavits annexed as Appendix B.

Since the last investigation by the committees of the Fiftieth Congress, the Agricultural Department, through its chemist, Dr. Wiley, has issued a bulletin No. 13, part 4, from which it appears that after an exhaustive examination of the whole subject of lard and lard compounds, he has been unable to discover anything prejudicial to health in the food product known as lard compound or in cotton-seed oil.

None of the supporters of this bill now attempt to justify their attitude by claiming that the product is not a wholesome edible fat. We must, therefore, come to to the conclusion, upon this branch of the case, that there is no pretext whatever for legislation of this character.

(f.) The consideration of the other branch of this question, viz, the proper branding of the goods, [requises no comment. For every particle of this article now on the market is branded in plain letters, and the purchasers know exactly what he is getting, and if the manufacturers did not so brand this article of food or should not continue to do so, a simple statute making it a penal offence would be all that justice and the protection of the public could demand or desire.]

[The Language in the brackets [ ] above is our own, but is the substance of what is contained in a page or two of the report.—Ed.]

V It has been urged by the supporters of this measure that this question is analagous to the one presented upon the passage of the oleomargarine law. We maintain that there is no analogy in principle. The manufacturers of oleomargarine were unquestionably deceiving the public by fraudulently marking and selling their goods as butter, and it was because of this deception and fraud that the Congress of the United States undertook to protect the public. No similar reason exists for the passage of this bill, in view of the fact that the manufacturers of lard compound are properly and intelligently branding their goods so that no deception can be practised upon the public.

It is further apparent that the present bill will not accomplish any public benefit and is not demanded by any intelligent public sentiment; but will unduly oppress a reputable trade and industry by placking upon it the seal of Congressional disapproval at the demand of a rival business. This will be accomplished by the tax imposed, which will tend to increase the price of the commodity and restrict the trade, and by placing the industry under the control of the Internal Revenue Department, which is now and always has been obnoxious to merchants and traders. An unintentional or technical violation of the provisions of the bill bill would subject dealer to heavy penalties which he would be unwilling to risk. He would, therefore, be driven to deal exclusively in natural lard, and such is the evident purpose of the bill.

Aside from the pernicious policy of taxing a cheap and wholesome food product, the imposition of the license tax is the most odious and burdensome form of taxation. It brings the small dealer face to face with the stringent regulations of the Internal Revenue Department; it makes fear and uneasiness, which the common people feel toward this arm of the Government, an ever present and ever distasteful component of his business life.

The tax of 2 mills per pound would of itself be grievous and perhaps disastrous, but when the license tax is added the manufacturers of "land compound" are ruined.

The average price in 1889 of "prime steam lard" above "lard compound" was only 4.12 mills per pound, and the profit to the manufacturer of "lard compound" was only 2.41 mills per pound. It is the manufacturers of "prime steam lard" that favored this bill before the committee, and this small difference in price shows why they favor it, and what would be the result of its passage—the driving of "lard compound" out of the market, and the striking of a heavy bloy at at the cotton growers of the South by lessening the demand for and depreciating the price of, cotton seed oil. Mr. Kimball in his statements before the legislature of New Hampshire frankly admitted that he would be benefited by the passage of such a law, as did also Mr. North, another manufacturer in Massachusetts. See Record of Hearings, Fifty-first Congress, page 49.

It was also demonstrated before the committee that the supply of edible fats, notwithstanding their increase by the use of cotton oil and beef fat, is none too great for the present demand. Indeed the proposed measure is bad on numerous grounds—bad as a measure sure to increase the price to consumers of a wholesome and necessary food product; bad as discriminating in favor of one manufacturer against another; bad as injuriously affecting the important agricultural interest of cotton growing; bad as prescribing, or attempting to prescribe, more than a dozen different and highly severe crimes and forfeitures for its intringement; and especially bad as seeking to regulate the manufacturers of "lard compound" at the solicitation of manufacturers who are themselves in greater neeed of regulation.

The bill as introduced and reported creates an invidious discrimination against a part of an industry at the demand of other branches of the same trade which are conducted in a manner more objectionable and more obnoxious to the public.

During the hearings of the committees of the Fiftieth Congress testimony was offered which fully justifies this conclusin. See Appendix D.

The fact must not be lost sight of that whatever vice or uncleanness may be supposed or imagined to exist in "lard compound" is due, not to the presence of cotton-seed oil, which is a pure, sweet, and healthful vegetable product, but to the ingredients derived from the slaughter-house and the packing house. It is in sworn evidence before the committee that one of the largest manufacturers of lard compound slaughters no animals at all, but purchases the best commercial lard obtainable; that in all cases such lard is carefully cleansed and refined before mixing, and that in many cases the lard of commerce which he buys in the open market, and which he is forced to accept because it has been officially approved by the inspector of the board of trade as "pure lard," is of such inferior quality that he can not use it in making lard compound, but is compelled to send it to the soap factory. See Report of Hearings, Fifty-first Congress, page 59.

It was conclusivrly shown that the so-called "pure lard" of commerce, which this bill aims to protect, is often made from hogs which are diseased or in a state unfit for slaughter, and that as a rule it is made from the filthy and objectionable portions of the hog which no one would be willing to eat with knowledge of the fact. It was demonstrated to the committee beyond question that the commercial lard of to day is not the article which was formerly known as lard and sold as lard. See the admission of Mr. Hately, who appeard in the Fiftieth Congress as a witness in support of this legislation, page 337.

Mr. Hately's testimony shows that the so-called "pure lard" of to day is itself an adulteration of the most vicious character.

It seems to us that if regulation of the particular subject of lard and its cooking equivalents is to be undertaken, that regulation should begin at the first step in the manufacture, not at its very last step. If the friends of this measure are really solicitous for the public welfare, as they profess, and are anxious that the consumer shall know what he is eating and decide whether he wants to eat it or not, they ought cordially to support a measure which would cover the manufacture from the beginning to the end. Such a measure was before the commitee in the McClammy bill, No. 7346. That bill follows the form of the Conger bill, with only such additions as will include the packer and slaughterer as well as the compounder. But although the necessity for covering the whole subject has been demonstrated beyond question before the committee, the majority ignore that necessity altogether.

VIII. There was pending before the Committee on Agriculture the time the bill under consideration was reported not only the McClammy bill regulating the special subject of cooking fats, but various general measures designed to regulate the entire subject of food products, so as to protect efficiently the consumer both at home and abroad.

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In our opinion legislation by Congress should be confined to foreign commerce and to commerce between the States and Territories and the District of Columbia.

The manufacturers of lard compound have repeatedly stated to the committee that they are willing to be brought under a general law drawn in the interest of the public and not in the interest of their business rivals; but they justly object to the enactment of a law which will ruin their business by its oppressive regulations, directed specially and exclusively at their business without any benefit to the public.

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IX. We think moreover, that the various States of the Union are abundantly able, by their own legislatures and courts, to protect their people from fraud and imposition in the matter of foods as well as in all similar matters, and that Congressional action relative to commerce within the States is unnecessary and unwise.

XI. It has been claimed that the proposed legislation would benefit the farmers of this country. If this be true, which is not admitted, it will benefit the farmers of the West at the expense of the farmers of the South. We are not aware of any principle of statesmanship which will justify such a result if it could be accomplished. When corn is plenty and cheap, as at present, the price of hogs has been low, and when corn was scarce and high the price of hogs has been high. It is therefore apparent that the price of hogs has been influenced more by the above cause than any other that we can discover. In any event it is evident that the manufacturer of lard compound is not responsible for this fluctuation.

The lard industry of this country has been steadily increasing during the last fifteen years, and reached its climax in the year 1888–'89. During that year more hogs were raised, more lard was manufactured for domestic and foreign consumption than in any other year during that period, as shown by Appendix F, taken from the Cincinnati Price Current. The price has fluctuated materially during that time, as will appear from the table of prices furnished by Mr. Oliver, which is correctly printed in the Appendix G. See Report of Hearings, Fifty-first Congress, page 62.

In the report submitted by the majority of the committee the first three years of the period covered by Mr. Oliver's figures are omitted, so that the table begins at a time when the price of lard was unduly stimulated by the famous McGeogh corner of 1882.

XIII. The real contest in this matter is not in behalf of the consumer or the public, but has greater significance and importance in that it seems to us to be an attempt to seriously impair and injure a great industry which is confined largely to the South. That industry is the production and manufacture of cotton-seed oil. Its magnitude and importance is not full appreciated, because it is yet in its infancy. It has grown within the past few years from a comparatively small business to one which, in all its connections, will probably represent at the present time an investment of from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000,

Until within the last few years, while the cotton fiber of the South was baled and sold the seed was thrown into rot piles. Later, mills were built throughout the South, the great cotton-seed oil industry sprang into being, and the seed, adding not a cent to the cost of the production of the cotton crop, was as much in demand as the fiber itself. Cotton seed oil is new, in value, 5 per cent. of the value of the cotton crop, and is equal to $12,000,000 per annum. Of this $12,000,000 worth, about one-half is used as an ingredient of "lard compound."

The importance of this industry will be further appreciated when it is known that the negroes and farmers of the South largely depend upon it for their profit in raising cotton. While for many years the cotton seed was waste material, only used for fertilizers, it is now increasing in value and yields as substantial yearly revenue to the poor farmers and negroes, besides furnishing them with a cheaper article of diet and a valuable food for cattle, and giving them one of the best fertilizers known to agriculture. To injure and perhaps ruin a trade which consumes 50 per cent. of the cotton-seed oil produced in this country must of necessity react with tenfold force against the producers of the article. Whereas they are now receiving from $10 to $16 a ton for their seed, it is not difficult to believe that by destroying one-half of the outlet for the seed its price must be materially reduced, with consequeut resulting injury to the planter.

The south is at present just recovering from the devastation of the war, and it has but few industries which yield it a profit and employ large numbers of its population. Among that number and chief in importance is the cotton and cotton-seed crop. We think that the Congress of the United States must hesitate before entertaining the suggestion to pass laws which shall vitally affect so important an industry.

XIV. In conclusion, we cannot but earnestly deprecate the present measure as one whose passage would add, by the burden of an additional internal-revenue tax, still more to the now over-abundant moneys of the Government, as a measure unwise in itself, and to be passed only in the teeth of the doctrine conceded to be correct by jurists and legists, that changes in the excise laws are dangerous and apt to be solicited for speculative purpose.

We deprecate it as a measure to be passed only in violation of the principle that taxation of business and license taxes are peculiarly liable to be abused as festering monopolies; as a measure whose passage would afford the first precedent in our national legislation of an attempt to increase the price of one ingredient in a domestic product by lowering the price of another ingrediet in that domestic product; as a measure, theretore, whose passage would afirm the principle of aid to the manufacturer of one product against the manufacturer of another strictly legitimate product; would affirm, in practical effect, as between cleamoring domestic competitors, not only the necessity of relief, but relief on the basis of aid to those clamorers promising the greater number of votes.

As members of the committee we therefore recommend that the present measure be not passed, and that if any legislation upon the subject of cooking fats is deemed necessary, such legislation should include the whole subject and not a part of it, as in the McClammy bill. No. 7346. In preference to this, however, we recommend that such general legislation, covering all food products, be enacted as will most adequately protect the consumer, with least injury to the producing and manufacturing interests.

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